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Dear Sir or Madame:

Enclosed is a copy of a previously submitted request for refund which has not be acted upon as yet. Please review the highlighted charge on Serial Number 09/774,620, in the amount of \$180.00 on fee code number 1806.

Please review this outstanding request as the fee for the January 21, 2006 IDS was in error as all of the disclosed references were first cited on the attached European Patent Office Action dated December 12, 2005. The references were not known for more than three months prior to filing of the IDS.

Please review this application and kindly refund \$180.00 to deposit account number 150030. Copies of the appropriate paperwork are attached. If you have any questions, please contact Scott Lohr at (703) 412-6472. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

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Scott Lohr

Enclosure: Deposit Account Statement

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Attn: Frank Lebron Refund Department

Re: Deposit Account #150030

Dear Mr. Lebron:

Enclosed is a copy of a portion of our deposit account statement of February, 2006. Please review the highlighted charge on Serial Number 09/774,620 in the amount of \$180.00 on fee code #1806.

A CERTIFIED Information Disclosure Statement was filed on January 24, 2006. Since this application was not under final rejection, no fee is required as set forth in 37 CFR 1.97.

Please investigate this charge and kindly refund \$180.00 to Deposit Account #150030. Copies of the appropriate paperwork are attached. If you have any questions, please contact Debbie Noel at (703) 412-6296. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

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